Also,

The petition of 50 citizens against the passage of the Assessment Law.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Ways-and Means.

Mr. Chaisty presented a petition for the removal of the Live Stock Scales, signed by G. E. Hambleton and others.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

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The petition for removal of Live Stock Yards, signed by G. E. Reardon and others.

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The etition for the removal of the Live Stock Scales, signed by Dr. Ed. Schwarth and others.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Mattingly presented the petition of Henry J. Carroll and other citizens of St. Mary's county, for the passage of a law creating a county Treasurer.

Which was read and referred to the St. Mary's delegation.

Mr. Hess presented the petition of Jno. Turnbull and others, and George D. McClure and others for the removal of the Live Stock Scales.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Mattingly, it was

Ordered, That it be entered on the Journal that R. Johnson Colton, Sergeant-at-Arms, is prevented from attending to his duties on account of sickness.

On motion of Mr. Gill, it was

Ordered, That the Committee of Ways and Means are hereby authorized to sit at any time during the Session.

On motion of Mr. Berkemier, it was

Ordered, That it be entered on the Journal that the absence of Mr. Coburn, several days last week, was caused by his being at Ellicott city, in obedience to a summons from Howard County Court.